

**716.4 Criminal mischief in the second degree.**

1. Criminal mischief is criminal mischief in the second degree if any of the following apply:

*a.* The cost of replacing, repairing, or restoring the property that is damaged, defaced, altered, or destroyed exceeds one thousand five hundred dollars but does not exceed ten thousand dollars.

*b.* The acts damaged, defaced, altered, or destroyed any publicly owned property, including a monument or statue. In addition to any sentence imposed for a violation of this paragraph, the court shall include an order of restitution for any property damage or loss incurred as a result of the offense.

2. Criminal mischief in the second degree is a class “D” felony.

[C79, 81, §716.4]

[92 Acts, ch 1060, §9](#); [2013 Acts, ch 90, §194](#); [2019 Acts, ch 140, §19](#); [2021 Acts, ch 183, §42, 43](#)

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